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FIRST LEAD BALLET A66 (420)
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MOSCOW, OCT. 23 (AP)-PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV AND U.S. AMBASSADOR LLEWELLYN THOMPSON EXCHANGED TOASTS TO ART AND FRIENDSHIP TONIGHT AND CHATTED BRIEFLY ABOUT THE AMERICAN PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

KHRUSHCHEV WAS OVERHEARD TO SAY HE HAD NO IDEA WHO WOULD WIN THE PRESIDENTIAL CONTEST, VICE PRESIDENT RICHARD M. NIXON OR SEN. JOHN F. KENNEDY.

THE EXCHANGE BETWEEN KHRUSHCHEV AND THOMPSON CAME AFTER THE SOVIET LEADER SHOWED UP UNEXPECTEDLY FOR THE FINAL PERFORMANCE OF THE AMERICAN BALLET THEATER WHICH COMPLETED A 40-DAY TOUR OF THE SOVIET UNION.

KHRUSHCHEV'S APPEARANCE CAUGHT EVERYONE BY SURPRISE. HE ARRIVED AT MOSCOW'S SPORTS PALACE DURING THE FIRST ACT AND WHEN THE LIGHTS WENT UP, THERE HE WAS.

AN EMBASSY OFFICIAL HURRIEDLY PUT IN A CALL TO THOMPSON, SUGGESTING THE AMBASSADOR MAKE AN APPEARANCE. THOMPSON ARRIVED WEARING A SPORT COAT THAT HE HAD ON WHILE SITTING IN FRONT OF THE TV SET AT HIS HOME WATCHING A TELECAST OF THE BALLET PERFORMANCE.

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KHRUSHCHEV TURNED OUT FOR THE BALLET PERFORMANCE ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE AND SON, SERGEI, PLUS THREE MEMBERS OF THE PRESIDIUM -- NICOLI IGNATOV, FROL KOSLOV AND YEKATERINA FURTSEVA. THEY APPLAUDED WARMLY.

THE FACT THAT THE PREMIER AND THE PRESIDIUM MEMBERS ATTENDED WAS CONSIDERED BY DIPLOMATS HERE AS A GOODWILL GESTURE OF THE FIRST RANK.

AT THE BANQUET, KHRUSHCHEV TOLD THE AMBASSADOR HE CONSIDERED THE COMPANY QUITE GOOD AND HAD ENJOYED THE PERFORMANCE, WHICH INCLUDED SEVERAL MODERN AMERICAN NUMBERS.

THE CONVERSATION WITH THE DANCERS AND THE AMBASSADOR WAS OF A LIGHT NATURE AND TOUCHED ON POLITICS ONLY DURING MENTION OF THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS. THE REST OF THE TIME THERE WERE JOKED AND BANTER ABOUT SUCH THINGS AS MRS. KHRUSHCHEV'S EFFORTS TO SPEAK ENGLISH.

MRS. THOMPSON TOLD MRS. KHRUSHCHEV SHE SPOKE FINE ENGLISH, BUT MRS. KHRUSHCHEV SHYLY INSISTED SHE DID NOT.

THE BANQUET, WHICH LAST AN HOUR AND 15 MINUTES, STARTED OFF WITH VODKA AND CAVIAR AND THEN SWITCHED TO HAMBURGERS, BOILED CHICKEN, CHAMPAGNE AND COGNAC.

KHRUSHCHEV DRANK A TOAST IN VODKA TO THE COMPANY AND THEN CHANGED TO COGNAC FOR THE OTHER TOASTS.

AFTER THE BANQUET MARIA TALLCHIEF, THE COMPANY'S LEADING BALLERINA, TOLD NEWSMEN HAPPILY:

"HE WAS SO GAY AND SWEET. EVERYTHING WAS SO RELAXED YOU DID NOT REALIZE YOU WERE EATING WITH THE CHIEF OF ALL THE RUSSIANS. HE SAID 'YOU MUST COME BACK TO MOSCOW.'"

THE AMERICAN BALLET THEATER HAS BEEN TOURING THE SOVIET UNION SINCE SEPT. 13 AND HAS BEEN PLAYING TO SELLOUT HOUSES EVERYWHERE. IT LEAVES MOSCOW TOMORROW FOR NEW YORK.

AN AUDIENCE OF 10,000 ATTENDED THE FAREWELL PERFORMANCE IN THE SPORTS PALACE.

THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS SAID THE COMPANY HAD "AROUSED GREAT INTEREST AMONG THE PUBLIC AND A WIDE RESPONSE IN THE THEATRICAL PRESS. THE 40-DAY TOUR ALSO TOOK IN LENINGRAD, KIEV AND TRANSCAUCASIAN CITIES.

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UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., OCT. 23 (AP)-POLAND PROPOSED TODAY THAT THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOLD A SPECIAL SESSION NEXT APRIL ON THE QUESTION OF HALTING NUCLEAR TESTS IF NO TREATY IS SIGNED BY THAT TIME.

THE POLISH DELEGATION HANDED ITS RESOLUTION TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S POLITICAL COMMITTEE, NOW DEBATING DISARMAMENT AND RELATED QUESTIONS.

THE RESOLUTION WOULD HAVE THE ASSEMBLY RECOMMEND THAT GENEVA TALKS FOR A TEST BAN TREATY, NOW GOING ON AMONG BRITAIN, THE SOVIET UNION AND THE UNITED STATES, BE BROUGHT TO A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION BY APRIL 1.

THE RESOLUTION SAID OTHERWISE THE ASSEMBLY SHOULD CONVENE IN SPECIAL SESSION TO STUDY WHAT TO DO.

THE PROPOSAL FOLLOWS LINES LAID DOWN BY POLISH FOREIGN MINISTER ADAM RAPACKI IN A SPEECH TO THE COMMITTEE THURSDAY.

SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV HAS SAID THERE SHOULD BE A SPECIAL SESSION NEXT MARCH OR APRIL, WITH HEADS OF STATE OR GOVERNMENT PRESENT, TO WORK FOR GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT.

THE POLISH PROPOSAL WILL BE DEBATED ALONG WITH A SOVIET RESOLUTION, A U.S.-BRITISH-ITALIAN RESOLUTION AND A SEPARATE BRITISH RESOLUTION ON DISARMAMENT.

THE SOVIET RESOLUTION CALLS ON NEGOTIATORS TO DRAFT A TREATY FOR GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT.

THE POLISH RESOLUTION, ON THE OTHER HAND, SPEAKS OF THE NEED TO CREATE CONDITIONS CONDUCIVE TO REACHING AN AGREEMENT ON GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT. IT CALLS ON ALL COUNTRIES "NOT TO UNDERTAKE ANY MEASURES WHICH COULD RENDER THE DISARMAMENT NEGOTIATIONS MORE DIFFICULT."

THERE ARE NO SUCH NEGOTIATIONS NOW. THE COMMUNIST SIDE, INCLUDING POLAND, WALKED OUT LAST JUNE 27 ON TALKS IN THE 10-NATION EAST-WEST DISARMAMENT COMMITTEE IN GENEVA, CHARGING THE WESTERN SIDE WAS STALLING.

POLAND'S RESOLUTION WOULD HAVE THE ASSEMBLY IN PARTICULAR:

1. CALL FOR A NUCLEAR TEST HALT AGREEMENT BY APRIL 1 AND, FAILING THIS, CONVENE A SPECIAL SESSION IMMEDIATELY ON THAT PROBLEM.
2. ASK THE NUCLEAR POWERS TO HOLD UP SUCH TESTS UNTIL SUCH AN AGREEMENT IS REACHED.
3. CALL ON THEM NOT TO GIVE OTHER COUNTRIES NUCLEAR WEAPONS OR HELP OTHER COUNTRIES PRODUCE SUCH WEAPONS.
4. CALL ON NON-NUCLEAR COUNTRIES NOT TO TAKE SUCH WEAPONS FROM THE ATOMIC POWERS NOR TO MANUFACTURE THEM.
5. CALL ON ALL COUNTRIES NOT TO SET UP NEW MILITARY, MISSILE OR NUCLEAR BASES IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES.
6. CALL ON ALL COUNTRIES WHERE THERE ARE NO FOREIGN MILITARY BASES OR MISSILE OR NUCLEAR INSTALLATIONS NOT TO "PERMIT THEIR INTRODUCTION OR ESTABLISHMENT."
7. CALL ON ALL COUNTRIES THAT HAVE NO MISSILE AND NUCLEAR WEAPON INSTALLATIONS NOT TO ESTABLISH ANY.

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ADVANCE FOR 6 P.M. EST TODAY

(ADVANCE) BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, OCT. 23 (AP)-PRESIDENT TITO APPEALED TO U.N. MEMBER COUNTRIES TODAY FOR THEIR UTMOST EFFORTS TO PREVENT A FURTHER DETERIORATION OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS.

HIS STATEMENT, ISSUED FOR THE 15TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED NATIONS, PRESENTED A MARKED CONTRAST TO SOVIET BLOC ATTACKS ON THE WORLD ORGANIZATION.

TITO PRAISED THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND PROMISED CONTINUED AID FROM YUGOSLAVIA.

HE SAID THE WORSENING OF THE WORLD SITUATION AFTER THE FAILURE OF THE PARIS SUMMIT CONFERENCE IN MAY ALSO INFLUENCED THE WORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS. HE CALLED FOR INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITY "TO PREVENT FURTHER DETERIORATION OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS WITH THE AIM OF FULL AFFIRMATION OF PRINCIPLES ON WHICH THE UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATION IS BASED."

TITO ALSO SPOKE ABOUT THE ACTIVITIES OF SO-CALLED NEUTRALIST NATIONS TO IMPROVE THE WORLD SITUATION AND EXPRESSED HOPE THE "UNITED NATIONS WILL FIND IN THEMSELVES ENOUGH STRENGTH TO OPPOSE FACTORS WHICH DRAW BACKWARDS AND TO FIND ADEQUATE WAYS TOWARDS PEACE."

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KARLSRUHE, GERMANY, OCT. 23 (AP)-A MEMBER OF CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S GOVERNMENT TODAY CRITICIZED AMERICAN PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN STATEMENTS ON FUTURE POLISH-AMERICAN RELATIONS.

HE CALLED ON REFUGEES TO KEEP PRESSING FOR THE RETURN OF GERMANY'S FORMER EASTERN TERRITORIES "UNTIL THE WORLD HAS SOLVED THE PROBLEM."

TRANSPORT MINISTER HANS CHRISTOPH SEEBOHM, WHO HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN RIGHT-WING REFUGEE CIRCLES FOR YEARS, WAS ADDRESSING A RALLY OF PEOPLE EXPELLED FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S SUDETEN REGION.

NOTING POLAND'S EFFORTS TO OBTAIN WESTERN RECOGNITION OF THE POSTWAR ODER-NEISSE BORDER BETWEEN GERMANY AND POLAND, SEEBOHM SAID BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES OFFICIALLY HAD STATED THAT THIS QUESTION WAS SUBJECT TO PEACE TREATY NEGOTIATIONS. HE SAID OTHER COUNTRIES WERE "EVASIVE" ON THE SUBJECT AND ADDED WITHOUT ELABORATING:

"WE HAVE HEARD FROM ONE OF THE AMERICAN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES THAT AN OUTPOST (OF THE FREE WORLD) LIKE POLAND -- WHICH AFTER ALL IS MERELY A SOVIET COLONY -- MUST BE TREATED IN A DIFFERENT WAY WHILE THE OTHER MADE A VERY IRIDESCENT COMMENT WHICH KEPT IN VIEW (THE PRESENCE OF) SIX MILLION POLES IN THE UNITED STATES."

THE LATTER PART OF HIS STATEMENT OBVIOUSLY REFERRED TO VICE PRESIDENT RICHARD M. NIXON WHO INDICATED IN A BUFFALO, N.Y., SPEECH HE WOULD CONSIDER THE ODER-NEISSE BORDER A PERMANENT FACT OF HISTORY.

SEEBOHM SAID THE SITUATION SHOWED THE REFUGEE ORGANIZATIONS "HAVE FAILED TO ACHIEVE IN THE LAST 10 YEARS WHAT THEY SHOULD HAVE ACHIEVED -- THE RETURN OF THE HOMELANDS UNDER THE PEOPLES' RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION."

CALLING FOR UNITY AMONG REFUGEES, HE SAID:

"AS LONG AS THE SUDETEN GERMANS STAND TOGETHER WITH OTHER ETHNIC GROUPS, THIS WILL BE A PROBLEM WHICH WILL NOT COME TO REST UNTIL THE WORLD HAS SOLVED IT."

THE COLOGNE RUNDSCHAU, FREQUENTLY CONSIDERED THE CHIEF MOUTHPIECE OF THE ADENAUER PARTY, TERMED NIXON'S STATEMENT "INCOMPREHENSIBLE" AND "SHOCKING" IN AN EDITORIAL TODAY.

"CONCEDEDLY, IT WAS AN ELECTION SPEECH BEFORE AMERICANIZED POLES. . . AND ONE SHOULD TAKE ELECTION SPEECHES NOT TOO SERIOUSLY. BUT FOR US IT IS NOT A TRIFLING THING IF SOMEBODY, WHO MAY DETERMINE AMERICAN POLICY DURING THE NEXT FEW YEARS, DESCRIBES THE ODER-NEISSE LINE AS AN ACCOMPLISHED FACT."

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MOSCOW, OCT. 23 (AP)-VICE PRESIDENT NIXON'S STATEMENT ABOUT THE POLISH BORDER WAS REPORTED TODAY BY PRAVDA. THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER SAID HE MADE IT BECAUSE OF A "CHASE AFTER THE VOTES" OF AMERICANS OF POLISH DESCENT.

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LONDON, OCT. 23 (AP)-A LONDON NEWSPAPER SAID TODAY BRITAIN IS TO GET POLARIS MISSILES FOR ITS FUTURE NUCLEAR SUBMARINES UNDER A NEW SECRET GOVERNMENT AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED STATES. THE TABLOID SUNDAY GRAPHIC REPORTED BRITAIN HAS BEEN GIVEN BLUEPRINTS AND TECHNICAL DETAILS OF THE MISSILE.

THE GRAPHIC'S STORY, UNDER A WASHINGTON DATELINE, SAID:

". . . .THE AMERICANS HAVE INSISTED ON CERTAIN CONDITIONS. THE ATOMIC WARHEADS FOR THE MISSILES MUST BE MANUFACTURED IN ENGLAND," WITH AMERICANS PROVIDING THE SECRET FORMULA FOR THE SOLID FUEL PROPELLANT WHICH POWERS POLARIS.

BRITISH EXPERTS NOW VISITING THE UNITED STATES ESTIMATE A BRITISH-MADE VERSION OF THE MISSILE COULD BE PRODUCED FOR AROUND 250,000 POUNDS ($700,000) THE NEWSPAPER ADDED. BRITAIN LAUNCHED ITS FIRST NUCLEAR SUBMARINE--THE DREADNOUGHT--LAST WEEK. IT IS A HUNTER-KILLER SUB, NOT EQUIPPED TO CARRY POLARIS.

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LONDON, OCT. 23 (AP)-RUSSIA'S GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED NEWSPAPERS CAME OUT TODAY WITH PROMINENT ACCOUNTS OF MAO TZE-TUNG'S MESSAGE TO PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV HAILING THE "MONOLITHIC SOLIDARITY" OF THE COMMUNIST BLOC.

BUTT THE CHINESE COMMUNIST PRESS APPEARED EITHER TO BE PLAYING DOWN THE MESSAGE OR IGNORING IT ALTOGETHER.

THE CHINESE TELEGRAM, SIGNED BY MAO AND THREE TOP ASSOCIATES, ACKNOWLEDGED THE SOVIET UNION AS HEAD OF THE COMMUNIST WORLD AND CALLED FOR A CLOSING OF RANKS TO COUNTER "IMPERIALIST INTRIGUE."

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES IN LONDON INTERPRETED THE MESSAGE AS EXPRESSING MAO'S DESIRE TO TAKE THE HEAT OUT OF RED CHINA'S QUARREL WITH RUSSIA OVER COMMUNIST POLICY TOWARD THE WEST.

THE CHINESE LEADER HAS BEEN HOLOING TO THE LENINIST THESIS THAT WAR IS INEVITABLE IN SPREADING COMMUNISM THROUGH THE WORLD. HIS MESSAGE TO KHRUSHCHEV TALKED OF INTENSIFYING THE STRUGGLE "FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD." IT SAID A CLOSER-KNIT COMMUNIST CAMP WOULD HELP "THE CAUSE OF PEACE THE WORLD OVER."

THROWN IN ALONG WITH THESE PHRASES WERE THE USUAL APPEALS FOR STEPPING UP THE "STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM"--BUT THE TONE WAS MILD BY PEIPING STANDARDS.

KHRUSHCHEV, WHO HAS SPENT MONTHS CAMPAIGNING FOR CHINESE SUPPORT OF HIS CONTENTION THAT COMMUNISM CAN TRIUMPH WITHOUT WAR, IS NOT EXPECTED TO REPLY TO MAO'S MESSAGE. IT WAS SENT IN RESPONSE TO CONGRATULATIONS OFFERED THREE WEEKS AGO BY SOVIET LEADERS ON THE 11TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE RED REGIME IN CHINA.

TASS, THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY, SAID MAO'S MESSAGE WAS FRONT PAGED BY IZVESTIA AND FEATURED PROMINENTLY IN OTHER PAPERS TODAY. BUT THERE WAS NO MENTION OF IT IN A LENGTHY REVIEW OF THE PEIPING PRESS CIRCULATED BY THE NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY.

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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, OCT. 23 (AP)-A THREE-DAY ANTINUCLEAR MARCH WITH PARTICIPANTS FROM EIGHT COUNTRIES ENDED WITH A MASS RALLY IN COPENHAGEN TODAY. SPEAKERS CALLED FOR IMMEDIATE ABOLITION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

THE 40-MILE MARCH FROM THE TOWN OF HOLBAEK ENDED IN STORMY WEATHER, BUT ABOUT 10,000 PERSONS JOINED THE 2,000 MARCHERS FROM DENMARK, SWEDEN, FINLAND, NORWAY, ICELAND, WEST GERMANY, GREECE AND GREAT BRITAIN ON THE LAST STAGE OF THE TREK FROM A COPENHAGEN SUBURB.

NO COMMUNISTS SPOKE AT THE RALLY, ALTHOUGH SOME JOINED THE MARCH. MOST OF THE MARCHERS WERE YOUNG PEOPLE.

ONE LEFTWING SPEAKER, SVEND JENSEN, A TRADE UNION LEADER, SAID THE DANISH GOVERNMENT HAS APPROVED STATIONING OF ATOMIC WEAPONS IN U.S. BASES ON GREENLAND, DENMARK'S LARGE ARCTIC ISLAND. SO FAR, THE GOVERNMENT HAS REFUSED TO ALLOW ATOMIC ARMS IN THE EUROPEAN PART OF DENMARK, BUT JENSEN SAID IT HAD APPROVED THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NATO DEPOTS HERE, TO BE USED BY GERMAN AND OTHER NATO FORCES IN WARTIME.

AUTHOR CARL SCHARNBERG, PACIFIST SPONSOR OF THE MARCH, SAID "IF THE SCIENTISTS DON'T LIE, THIS MEANS STRONTIUM 90 IN OUR BONES--INCLUDING THOSE OF YOUR KIDS. BUT IT THEY SPEAK THE TRUTH, IT'S A CRIME NOT TO LISTEN TO THEM."

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LONDON, MONDAY, OCT. 24 (AP)-THE FULL INGLORIOUS HISTORY OF BRITAIN'S "PHANTOM FLEET"--A WAR WINNING CHURCHILLIAN IDEA THAT NEVER QUITE CAME OFF -- IS RECOUNTED IN A BOOK PUBLISHED TODAY.

WINSTON CHURCHILL CAME UP WITH THE IDEA AS THE YOUNG AND IMAGINATIVE FIRST LORD OF THE ADMIRALTY IN 1914. THE PLAN WAS TO FIT OUT ORDINARY MERCHANT SHIPS WITH GUN TURRETS AND FIGHTING GEAR MADE FROM WOOD AND CANVAS AND THUS DECEIVE GERMAN U-BOATS. THE DECOY VESSELS' WOODEN GUNS WERE TO FIRE PUFFS OF SMOKE AT THE ENEMY.

BRITAIN'S PROUD ADMIRALS LOOKED DOWN THEIR NOSES AT THE IDEA DURING WORLD WAR I AND, THOUGH 14 WERE BUILT ON CHURCHILL'S URGENT ORDERS, THEY WERE QUIETLY RETURNED TO MERCHANT SERVICE SHORTLY AFTER CHURCHILL LEFT OFFICE.

WITH THE OUTBREAK OF WORLD WAR II AN OLDER, BUT JUST AS IMAGINATIVE CHURCHILL TRIED IT AGAIN. AGAIN THE PHANTOM FLEET FAILED TO WIN FAVOR AMONG THE FIGHTING CHIEFS OF THE ROYAL NAVY.

COMMANDERS-IN-CHIEF SPURNED THE ASSISTANCE OF THE CRAFT, WEATHER DESTROYED THEIR MAKEUP AND ONE OF THEM -- THE DUMMY AIRCRAFT CARRIER HERMES -- WRECKED HERSELF IN THE NORTH SEA.

IN A BOOK ENTITLED "THE PHANTOM FLEET", A. CECIL HAMPSHIRE DETAILS THIS AND TELLS OF THE FEW ENGAGEMENTS IN WHICH THE SHIPS ACTUALLY PARTICIPATED.

AND IN THOSE FIGHTS IN WHICH THEY DID TAKE PART HE TELLS HOW THE TRIUMPHANT ATTACKING GERMANS WERE ASTONISHED TO SEE, AS THE TARGET SHIP HERSELF WENT UNDER, THAT THE GUN TURRETS AND SUPERSTRUCTURE JUST FLOATED AWAY.

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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, OCT. 23 (AP)-HUNGARIAN REFUGEES IN DENMARK MARCHED TO A MONUMENT IN THE DANISH NATIONAL SHRINE TODAY TO PLACE A WREATH COMMEMORATING THE ANTI-SOVIET HUNGARIAN UPRISING FOUR YEARS AGO. WHEN THEY GOT THERE THEY FOUND A WREATH ALREADY IN PLACE BEARING BANNERS OF COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY.

THE REFUGEES CALLED POLICE BUT OFFICERS DECLINED TO TAKE ANY ACTION, SAYING ANYONE HAS THE RIGHT TO LAY WREATHS AT THE MONUMENT. THE HUNGARIANS LEFT THEIR WREATH AT THE SITE OF THE MONUMENT RATHER THAN IN FRONT.

IT WAS NOT KNOWN WHO TOOK THE COMMUNIST WREATH TO THE SHRINE.

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VIENNA, AUSTRIA, OCT. 23 (AP)-HUNGARIAN REFUGEES AND AUSTRIAN STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS OFFERED SPECIAL PRAYERS AND HELD MEETINGS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY TODAY IN COMMEMORATION OF THE FOURTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE REVOLUTION IN HUNGARY.

A GROUP OF WEST GERMAN, HUNGARIAN AND AUSTRIAN STUDENTS STAGED A "PILGRAMAGE" ALONG THE IRON CURTAIN BORDER BETWEEN AUSTRIA AND COMMUNIST

HUNGARY NEAR THE TOWN OF ANDAU, WHERE MANY OF THE 170,000 HUNGARIAN REFUGEES ESCAPED THE COMMUNIST REGIME DURING THE UPRISING.

THE MARCHERS, HEADED BY INDIAN STUDENT TAPESHVAR ZUTSHI, HAD WALKED ALL THE WAY FROM MUNICH, WEST GERMANY, TO ANDAU CARRYING POSTERS: "WE HAVE NOT FORGOTTEN OUR BROTHERS BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN" AND "FREEDOM FOR ALL." THEY KNELT ON THE GROUND TO PRAY IN SIGHT OF THE ELECTRIC BARBED WIRE AND COMMUNIST MACHINE GUNNERS.

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OSLO, NORWAY, OCT.23 (AP)-A NORWEGIAN BUSINESS MAGAZINE SUGGESTED TODAY THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE LAUNCHED A CAMPAIGN FOR DISRUPTING WESTERN TRADE BY PROMOTING STRIKES IN HARBORS AND ON SHIPS.

IN ITS WEEKLY ENGLISH-LANGUAGE SHIPPING SURVEY, THE RESPECTED CONSERVATIVE PERIODICAL, FARMAND, SAID COMMUNIST PARTY REPRESENTATIVES AT A MEETING IN SOFIA LAT YEAR DECIDED TO WORK FOR PROMOTING STRIKES, AND THAT SCHOOLS WERE ESTABLISHED FOR TRAINING IN THE PROMOTION AND CREATION OF STRIKES AND DISTURBANCES.

FARMAND SAID THE TALLY-MEN STRIKE, CALLED OFF RECENTLY IN LONDON, DID ENORMOUS HARM TO BRITISH SHIPPING AND EXPORT INDUSTRIES.

"THE STRIKE WAS ABSOLUTELY RIDICULOUS IN ITS ORIGIN AND SO ARE A NUMBER OF STRIKES AROUND THE WORLD WHICH PARTICULARLY AIM AT HURTING HARBOR FACILITIES AND THEREBY DAMAGE TRADE FACILITIES AND THE SHIPPING INDUSTRY. SEVERAL OF THESE STRIKES ARE SO SIMILAR IN NATURE AND ORIGIN THAT IT IS OBVIOUS THEY ARE ORGANIZED WITH A CERTAIN PURPOSE. THIS PURPOSE COULD HARDLY BE TO BETTER CONDITIONS FOR THE WORKERS IN A SATURATED MARKET."

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, OCT. 23 (AP)-ISRAEL'S ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, MAJ. GEN. HAIM LASKOW, SAID TODAY "THE DECISION TO ATTACK ISRAEL HAS BEEN TAKEN BY PRESIDENT NASSER OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC."

ISRAEL'S ARMY LEADER WAS ADDRESSING 125 MEMBERS OF THE UNITED JEWISH APPEALS SEVENTH STUDY MISSION NOW ON A TOUR OF ISRAEL.

HE ADDED THAT ISRAEL IS DOING EVERYTHING FOR ITS DEFENSE "BECAUSE WE KNOW WE CANNOT SURVIVE A PEARL HARBOR."

JEWISH IMMIGRATION, HE DECLARED, IS A FUNDAMENTAL OF THE JEWISH STATE AND SHOULD BE HELPED IN ALL POSSIBLE WAYS.

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